Case 1:25-cv-01342-MKV

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

FAXA INC.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

TRAVELERS CASUALTY and SURETY COMPANY OFAMERICA,

Defendant.

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NOTICE OF INITIAL PRETRIAL
CONFERENCE MATERIALS

MARY KAY VYSKOCIL, United States District Judge:

The Court directs counsel for all parties to meet and confer for at least one hour to discuss the possibility of settlement within 14 days of this Order.

Counsel are directed to commence discovery, including but not limited to the exchange of initial disclosures, as set forth in Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26.

Counsel are further directed to submit a joint Proposed Case Management Plan and Scheduling Order and joint letter, as required by this Court's Individual Rules of Practice. The documents should be filed on ECF and sent to this Court via email (in both PDF and Microsoft Word formats) on or before June 30, 2025. The status letter may not exceed 6 pages and must include the following:

- 1. A brief statement of the nature of the case, the principal claims and defenses, and the major legal and factual issues that are most important to resolving the case;
- 2. A brief statement by the plaintiff, or by the defendant in removed cases, as to the basis of subject matter jurisdiction and venue, and a brief statement by each other party as to the presence or absence of subject matter jurisdiction and venue. Statements shall include citations to relevant statutes. In cases invoking the Court's diversity jurisdiction, the parties should state both the place of incorporation and the principal

place of business of any party that is a corporation, and the citizenship of all members,

shareholders, partners, and/or trustees of any party that is a partnership, limited

partnership, limited liability company, or trust;

3. A statement of procedural posture, including

a. A brief description of any (i) motions that have been made and decided,

(ii) motions that any party seeks or intends to file, including the principal legal

and other grounds in support of and opposition to the motion, (iii) pending

motions and (iv) other applications that are expected to be made at the

conference;

b. A brief description of any discovery that has already taken place, and a brief

description of any discovery that the parties intend to take in the future; and

c. A statement describing the status of any settlement discussions and whether the

parties would like a settlement conference; and

4. Any other information the parties believe may assist the Court in resolving the action.

Any request for an extension shall be made by letter filed on ECF and must be received at

least 72 hours before the deadline.

The parties are reminded that failure to comply with the Court's orders or comply

with the FRCP, the Local Rules for the SDNY or this Court's Individual Practice Rules, or

the parties discovery or other obligations thereunder may result in sanctions, including

monetary penalties on counsel and/or the parties, dismissal or preclusion of claims, defenses,

arguments, or evidence.

SO ORDERED.

Date: April 30, 2025

New York, NY

MARY KAY VYSIKOCIL

United States District Judge

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